

## GOT TEN CASES OF EXPLOSIVES

### McNamara and Two Others Bought It

Powder Company's Man Testified in the Dynamite Conspiracy Trial Today—Over Hundred Witnesses Yet to Go on the Stand.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 15.—James B. McNamara's purchase of five hundred pounds of nitroglycerin, with part of which he blew up the Los Angeles Times building, was described in the dynamite conspiracy trial today by George Phillips, the Powder Company's superintendent. Phillips testified that on September 23rd, 1910, seven days before The Times' explosion, he delivered to three men at the Powder Company's Oakland, California, wharf, ten cases of explosive. One of these men was McNamara, the witness testified. Phillips said the men loaded the explosive on a steam launch and left. He identified various receipts, bills and wrappings from off the explosive. Phillips testified that nine cases of the explosive were afterward recovered by the San Francisco police. Ortie McManigal's testimony was interrupted today to permit the Government to examine other witnesses. Over one hundred witnesses, including thirty from the Pacific coast, were waiting to testify.

## FRA ELBERTUS S CHILD MOST PERFECT GIRL

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 15.—Miriam Hubbard, daughter of Fra Elbertus Hubbard, is the most perfect girl physically ever to enter the University of Michigan. The physical director of the girls' gymnasium has made the announcement. The description is as follows:

Tall and slender, without very great curves; weight 131.5; height 66.7 inches; lung capacity 218; strength test 1,819 pounds, lungs and heart in perfect condition.

The director adds that as she is young, the next few years undoubtedly will give her a physical beauty equal to her present bodily perfection.

She is modest and gracious, with a low sweet voice and wavy hair. She seems surprised to learn the distinction the physical director gave her.

"Long ago I learned that one cannot keep well unless one works in the field and gains health from the sunshine," she said. In her father's school she did exactly the work the boys did. "I always have taken all the exercise consistent with my years and my strength."

## EXCHANGE RATIFICATIONS

### Ambassador and Secretary of State Finally Pass On Treaties.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Secretary Knox and Ambassador Bryce today exchanged ratifications of the treaty signed July 17th last, providing for an adjustment between Great Britain and the United States of the North Atlantic fisheries controversy. It prescribes boundary waters and provides a commission to pass upon the reasonableness of local Canadian and Newfoundland fisheries regulations.

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South Norwalk, Conn., Nov. 15.—Jeremiah Donovan (Dem.) of this city, is the man who will go to Congress in place of Ebenezer J. Hill (Rep.) to represent the Fourth District of Connecticut. This was the surprise of the State election, inasmuch as Congressman Hill has represented the district for many terms. Mr. Donovan has been a member of the State Senate for several years and is a leading progressive Democrat of the State.

## ANOTHER WHIRL OF BIG EVENTS

### For Daughters Today In Washington

Standing Committees Made Reports Today—Children of Confederacy Will Have Interesting Affair Tonight.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Delegates to the United Daughters of the Confederacy convention entered today upon another round of big events. The social side of the program included receptions, luncheons and a half dozen other social affairs. The forenoon hours of the convention were consumed with standing committee reports. Reports by States were also submitted. An interesting ceremony occurs tonight when the Children of the Confederacy, an adjunct of the principal organization, will present the President General with flowers. This will be marked by an appropriate observance. Following it there will be discussion of changes in rules of the society. At the close of tonight's meeting the delegates go to the Pan-American Building to attend a reception. Senator John Sharp Williams is a member of the reception committee.

## WILSON OFF ON HIS VACATION

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 15.—President-elect Wilson packed his suit cases and trunks and left this afternoon for New York. Tonight he attends a dinner given by Princeton class of '79, of which he is a member. Tomorrow, after doing some shopping, the President-elect sails on a steamship trip. At the retreat to which he is going none are expected to call upon him. The Governor expects to spend his vacation with absolute disregard of politics. Mrs. Wilson and Misses Jesse and Eleanor accompanied the President-elect. Miss Margaret continued her musical studies. The trip will last one month. One stenographer and ten newspaper correspondents made up the rest of the party accompanying Gov. Wilson.

## WILL KNOW HIS FATE BY NIGHTFALL

Norwalk, O., Nov. 15.—By nightfall Ernest Welsh, one of the six men being tried for tarring Miss Minnie LaValley, the young West Clarksfield girl, will know whether he is acquitted or must serve from two to ten years imprisonment. When the trial was resumed this morning, counsel addressed the jury. The speeches were concluded shortly after noon. The specific charge against Welsh is "riotous conspiracy." If Welsh is acquitted the cases against the other men probably will be dropped.

## PINNED UNDER WAGON LIKELY FATALLY HURT

Special to The Dispatch. Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 15.—R. A. Howe, a driver for W. A. Simpkins, was probably fatally injured shortly before noon today, when his wagon was struck by a street car. The wagon was piled upon the horse with such force as to throw the animal, and Howe fell underneath. For five minutes he lay pinned under the horse, which in its struggle to release itself, kicked him vigorously. Howe was taken to a hospital.

## COTTON CONSUMED DURING OCTOBER

Washington, Nov. 15.—Cotton consumed in the United States during October was 511,285 running bales, according to the Census Bureau's monthly report. Cotton on hand October 31st was: In manufacturing establishments, 908,200 bales; in independent warehouses, 2,835,910 bales; exports during October, 1,515,741 bales; imports, 10,570, equivalent to five hundred pound bales. Cotton spindles operated during the month numbered 30,019,872.

The regular meeting of the Wilmington Trade Extension Association is being held this afternoon. President W. B. Cooper is in the chair and Secretary H. B. Branch is taking the minutes.

## BULGARS ARE NEAR CAPITAL

### Pushing On Rapidly To Constantinople

Turkish Troops Also Have Cholera Epidemic to Fight—Request for Armistice Must be Considered by Allies Before Reply Can be Made.

Constantinople, Nov. 15.—The cholera epidemic among the Turkish troops, holding the line of fortifications at Tchatalja, in front of Constantinople, is rapidly becoming worse. Over five hundred cases are reported daily. The total number now exceeds six thousand.

The Bulgarian troops have reached the vicinity of Killois or the Black Sea, within a few miles of the Capital. The men at the Turkish life boat station have deserted.

Armistice Being Considered. Sofia, Nov. 15.—The Turkish request for an armistice, which the Turkish Grand Vizier sent King Ferdinand, was discussed by the Bulgarian council of Ministers today. The ministers decided to reply that the Bulgarian government would inform the other nations of the Balkan alliance of the step taken by Turkey and would give its reply as soon as possible.

Servians Again Whip Turks. Belgrade, Nov. 15.—Another Turkish force raised the white flag and surrendered to the Servian cavalry near Monastir. The Servians attacked the Turks at Debromia, five miles northeast of Monastir. Despite a galling fire they dislodged the Turkish advance posts from entrenched positions. The Turks retreated and were pursued by the Servians to Morabi village. The Servians surrounded the Turks there and poured down such a heavy fire upon the Ottomans that the Turkish officer commanding ordered his men to throw down their arms.

Greek Army Pushing On. Athens, Nov. 15.—The Greek army commanded by Crown Prince Constantine has left Saloniki and is proceeding to Monastir. The Servians practically surrounded that city, where it is believed a large Turkish army is concentrated.

## DYING FROM SCALD WOUNDS

Roanoke, Va., Nov. 15.—A. W. Andrews, an engineer, and Jerry Walton, a fireman, both of Princeton, Virginia, are dying from scalds received last night when their locomotive, on the Virginia Railway exploded, several miles west of the city. They were running an extra freight train when the accident occurred. C. W. Lucas, a brakeman, was badly scalded.

## HANOVER PROVISION CO., OF WILMINGTON

Special to The Dispatch. Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 15.—The Hanover Provision Company, of Wilmington, was chartered today with ten thousand authorized and eight hundred dollars subscribed by W. E. Etheridge, J. B. Etheridge and W. P. Gafford.

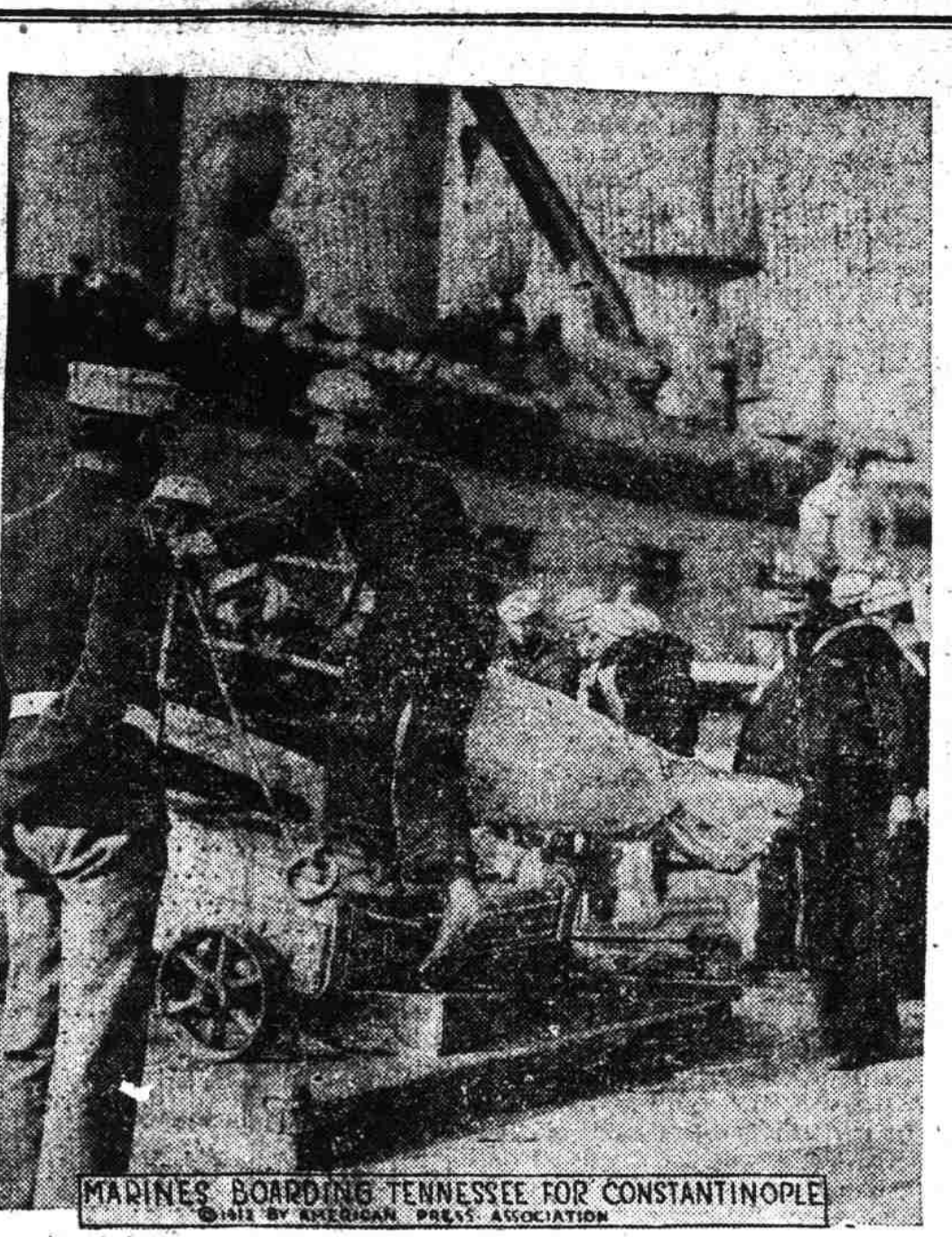
## TROOPS MAY GO BACK TO CABIN CREEK

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 15.—The Governor has sent Captain Walker to the Cabin Creek region to investigate the circumstances of an attack on a train load of strike-breakers. The Governor may send troops.

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Chief Committee of Chamber of Commerce Met Yesterday. The executive committee of the Chamber of Commerce met yesterday afternoon just previous to the general meeting of the Chamber. Several matters were discussed and acted upon. Two new members were admitted to the Chamber, these being the Standard Oil Company and the Southeastern Realty Company. The president, Mr. M. J. Corbett, was authorized to appoint three delegates to the first annual convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States to meet in Washington, D. C., January 21st. It was decided to appoint delegates to the drainage convention in Raleigh for the 26th and 27th instants. A delegation will likely attend the Panama meeting in Atlanta, Ga., the 10th and 11th of next month.

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MARINES BOARDING TENNESSEE FOR CONSTANTINOPLE

Philadelphia, Nov. 15.—The Montana and the Tennessee, armored cruisers of the United States navy, are on the way to Constantinople under orders to make the eastern port with all haste. In addition to the stores taken for the officers and the crew the two vessels have aboard 10,000 barrels of flour and 30,000 bushels of potatoes as an emergency diet for possible refugees. Each vessel also carries a wartime supply of ammunition. So heavily are the vessels loaded they are drawing twenty-nine feet, which means they had to be piloted down the Delaware. Each vessel carries 700 sailors and a company of marines. The cruisers are expected to reach Gibraltar Nov. 22. After coaling they will proceed and expect to reach Constantinople Nov. 30th.

## REFORMATORY WORK

And Parole System Reported Upon at Convention of American Prison Association—Interesting Resume.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 15.—The report of the Committee of Reformatory Work and Parole, to the American Prison Association, now holding a congress in this city, was made last night by Frank Moore, of Rahway, N. J., chairman of the committee. The report was in part as follows:

"The report of the Census Bureau on the Prison Population of the United States, published December 30, 1911, shows something of how great the criminal question is with which the American Prison Association has to deal. The ratio of prisoners on January 1, 1910, was 125 to each 100,000 of our population, while the ratio of commitments during that year was 522 to each 100,000 citizens. Thus it appears that at the beginning of the year 1910 one person out of every 800 greeted the New Year in prison, and that during that same year for every 190 persons in our total population there was one prison commitment. The entire number confined during the year was 479,763. This number is greater than the population of any one of ten States, and it is larger than the combined population of the four States: Wyoming, Nevada, Alaska and Delaware.

"From the census it also appears that there is an increase in the number of those who are being committed to penal institutions. The census of 1890 shows 106 prisoners for every 100,000 population, the census of 1904 shows 106, while the census of 1910, a salary stated, is 125. The census of England for 1910 shows 185 tried in courts for every 100,000, while our census shows 522 actually imprisoned for the same number.

"The first month an offender is in custodial care is the most vital part of his confinement. During that time it is of the utmost importance that he should be completely isolated from the rest of the population. The receiving ward is the most valuable part of an institution; not as a means of preventing contagious diseases from spreading, not that it may be used for the instruction of the inmate in the rules and spirit of the institution; these are both needed, but the necessary thing above everything else is that it should become a psychological laboratory, where not only the mental ability of the inmate should be carefully determined, but where the hidden secrets that lie back of the crime he committed shall be discovered. Here in the receiving ward the physician, the psychologist and the wise disciplinarian—the officer of keenest perception, are all needed to discover the ver ytaproot of the man's evil deeds in order that his assignment to work may be wise, the discipline to be administered to him just, and so in the end the man reformed."

After drawing attention to some of the types of offenders who present special mental and physical difficulties, and reviewing the existing methods of reformatory work, Mr. Moore took up the question of parole. He said that some persons claimed 65 per cent, others 76 per cent, and still others 87 per cent. He quoted one investigator as follows: "I believe that 25 per cent. of the boys paroled make a greater average

## STOLE MILLIONS

"Blind Banker of Paris" Confesses to Wholesale Robbery—Misappropriated Money of His Clients.

Paris, Nov. 15.—Augustus Max, known throughout France as the "Blind Banker of Paris," created a sensation today by surrendering himself and confessing that he misappropriated two million dollars of his clients' cash. Max deposited investors' funds in bad mining properties.

## NUMBER OF CONDITIONAL PARDONS GRANTED

Special to The Dispatch. Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 15.—Ralford Dew, convicted in Wilson county in October 1907 and sentenced to ten years for murder in the second degree; June Alston, convicted in Warren county in 1907, and sentenced to seven years for manslaughter; Hugh Postell, convicted in Buncombe county of murder in second degree and sentenced to thirty years; E. L. Avery, convicted in Lenoir county, in 1911, of selling liquor and sentenced to nine months, and W. A. Price, convicted in Brunswick county, in 1912, for selling liquor, and sentenced to twelve months, were granted conditional pardons today. Avery must pay one hundred dollars fine. The usual recommendations from judges, jury and citizens accompanied the petitions.

## NO MORE WOMEN STUDENTS TO BE TAKEN

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 15.—As a sequel to the recent students' strike at the Mississippi Agricultural College, the Board of Trustees announced today that hereafter no women will be admitted as students.

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of success than is made by the people in the class from which they come. This is due to the training and preparation they get at the institution. Another 25 per cent. make good to the extent of living free from crime and can be classified as good citizens, sustaining the relations of life in a creditable manner. Another 25 per cent. are more or less on the ragged edge, having a disposition to minor vices and bordering often on criminal conduct. From this class many are returned to the institution for a second commitment. The last 25 per cent. are feeble minded, degenerate specimens of the race. It would be better for them and for society if they were under some modified system of humane restraint that would prevent them from entering into the complex relations of civilization and reproducing their kind. I believe, says he, at the very least 50 per cent. are capable of reformation and into development of excellent citizenship."

## "DAGO FRANK" ON THE STAND

### Also Places Crime on State's Informers

Declares That Vallon and Webber Did the Shooting—Rose Never Impurtuned Him to Kill the Gambler for Police Lieut. Becker.

New York, Nov. 15.—"Dago Frank" Croft, exonerated by his three gunmen pals of having ever been near the scene of the Rosenthal murder, testified in his own behalf today. He corroborated their stories that Rosenthal was shot down by Vallon and Webber, the State's informers and not by the gunmen, under Charles Becker's order. He swore he was on his way up town to see his girl when the shooting occurred, while the others just happened to be unfortunately near the Hotel Metropole, at the invitation of Jack Rose, the State's chief witness. He declared Rose had never impurtuned him or the other gunmen to "croak" Rosenthal. Cross-examination failed to shake the witness.

## POURED BULLETS INTO JUDGE'S BODY

Wytheville, Va., Nov. 15.—The Commonwealth's witnesses testified today in Sidna Allen's trial that the defendant poured bullets in Judge Masie's body while the jurist was outstretched on the floor.

## SENATOR RAYNER IS BETTER TODAY

Washington, Nov. 15.—The condition of Senator Isador Rayner, of Maryland, critically ill, is reported slightly improved today. A turn for the worse alarmed physicians and relatives about midnight. The Senator felt the return of strength early today.

## UNCLE SAM, CENSOR OF CLINGING SKIRTS.

Cincinnati, Nov. 15.—That the Government make laws prohibiting the manufacture or sale of flimsy, worthless or deleterious garments, and that a national textile bureau be established, of which one department should have as its purpose the investigation and standardization of garments were among the suggestions made by Mrs. John C. Bessler, of Decatur, Ill., at a meeting of the Home Economics Department of the Cincinnati Women's Club.

"All womanhood suffers definite degradation from prevalent fashions, although they are structurally excellent," she said. "That is, we now have comfortable waists, shorter and less voluminous skirts, comfortable sleeves and the privilege of wearing collars or of going without. All these are good, but it is in the abuse of these comfortable fashions that our present difficulty lies.

"Improve transparent bodices, no petticoats to blur the outline of the figure, clinging skirts, too low necks or ultra short sleeves for street wear, these are the problems that confront us. It is time we called a halt on the wearing of boudoir garments on the street."

## NINETEEN TWELVE AS NAME OF TOWN.

Monongahala, Pa., Nov. 15.—The town of Eighty Four, Washington County, with a population of 700 more, never has contained a Republican voter. Once, many years ago, a Republican went to the town to go into business, but did not remain. Eighty Four took its present name when Cleveland was elected President in 1884. Previous to that time it was known as Fifty Six, in honor of the election of President James Buchanan. For some reason the name was not changed to Ninety Two when Cleveland took his second term. Now, after twenty years, and a petition bearing the signature of every voter and property owner in the place is ready to be submitted to the Postmaster General, requesting that the name of the Postoffice be changed to Nineteen Twelve. It is believed that Postmaster-General Hitchcock will grant the request. Anyway, there will be a new Postmaster-General after March 4.

## Body of Slain Woman Carried to Roanoke.

Roanoke, Va., Nov. 15.—The body of Mrs. J. Rappe Myers, shot unintentionally by her daughter on a railroad sleeper near Trenton Wednesday morning, was today brought here and will be buried tomorrow in Salem. Among those accompanying the body was W. R. Cuthbert, of Lynchburg.

## CLARK FOR EXTRA SESSION

### Speaker Makes Emphatic Declaration For It

Believes It Should be Held at Earliest Possible Date to Carry Out Party Pledges—Speaker in Washington to Take Up Legislative Program.

Washington, Nov. 15.—"I believe there should be an extra session of Congress at the earliest possible date after March 4th, to fulfill the pledges made by the Democratic party," said Speaker Clark, upon his return here today.

"The party has made its promises and it should not put off fulfilling them."

Speaker Clark said he came to Washington to take up the legislative program for the approaching session. "We made certain definite promises in order to win," Speaker Clark said. "We ought to carry them out religiously. Therefore I am in favor of an extraordinary session of Congress and at as early date as possible after the inauguration, to revise the tariff and do such other things as appear proper. The country has a right to know what we intend to do. It is the uncertainties that hurt. But after all is said and done whether we have an extraordinary session or not depends entirely on President-elect Wilson's idea as to the necessity and desirability thereof."

Speaker Clark declared business men were confident of continued prosperity and that "nobody pays any attention to croakers, except to laugh at them." As to legislation other than tariff to be undertaken by the next Congress, the Speaker said the currency laws should be revised to afford greater elasticity to money volume. He expressed the belief that there would be amendments to the Sherman anti-trust law, making it more effective. The approaching session of Congress Speaker Clark believes will be devoted largely to appropriation bills, although he expects other matters to receive some attention.

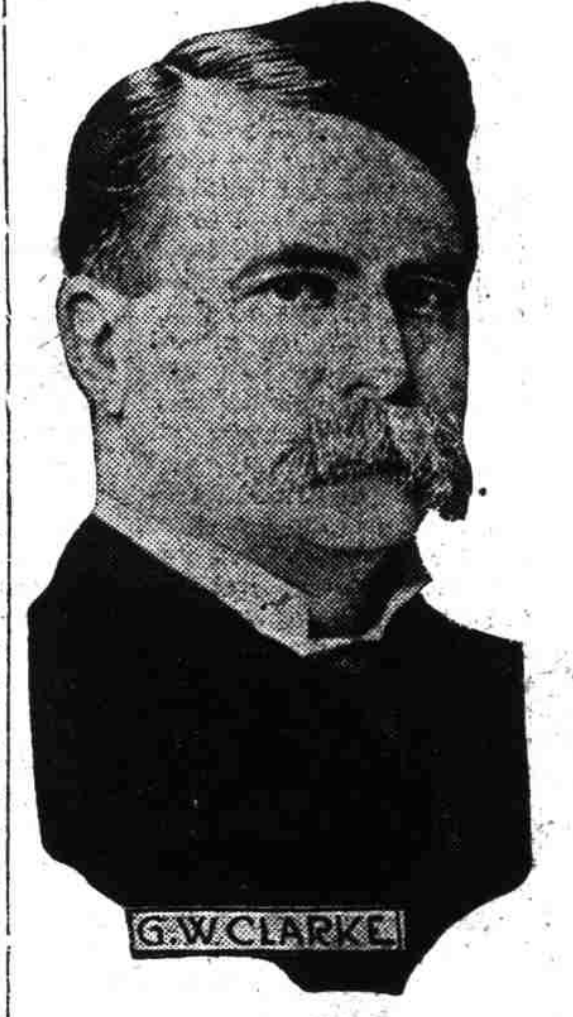
"There is not enough time at the short sessions to transact business properly," the Speaker said.

## MAY GET OUT TONIGHT

Bond Likely to Be Arranged For Jack Johnson. Chicago, Ill., Nov. 15.—It is rumored that Jack Johnson, the pugilist, will be released from jail tonight. After spending one week in jail, in default of thirty thousand dollars bond, on charges of violating the white slave act, it is said Prosecutor Wilkerson would accept higher bondsmen as Johnson's mother, and Mathew Baldwin, a realty broker. The latter has property scheduled at forty eight thousand dollars.

## Deep Interest in Meetings.

The prophetic lecture relative to the downfall of the Turkish Empire at the Sixth Street Advent Church last Sunday night, has created a considerable interest among the people. The meetings are continuing every night and many are presenting themselves as candidates for baptism. There were ten persons last night that came forward for the ordinance. Service again tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Attend if you can this may be your last opportunity.



Adel, Ia., Nov. 15.—George W. Clarke of this place is the Republican governor elect of the Hawkeye State. He has been speaker of the State house of representatives and has been active in the political life of the state for several years. He is an Indiana man by birth, is sixty years old and has lived in Iowa since he was four years old. Mr. Clarke is a lawyer.

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